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	First Named Inventor	Derek J. HEI
	Art Unit	1631
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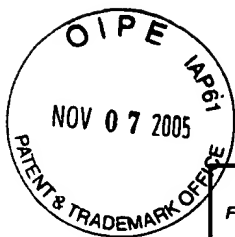
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Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

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<u>Fee Description</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180
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Docket No. 282172000810

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
Derek J. HEI

Serial No.: 09/872,384

Filing Date: June 1, 2001

For: METHODS AND DEVICES FOR THE  
REMOVAL OF PSORALENS FROM  
BLOOD PRODUCTS

Examiner: M. Miller

Group Art Unit: 1631

**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE  
STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97 & 1.98**

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.97 and § 1.98, Applicant submits for consideration in the above-identified application the documents listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08a/b. Copies of non-patent literature are submitted herewith. The Examiner is requested to make these documents of record.

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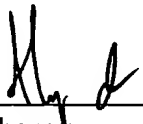
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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS					
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	1.	US-4,634,604	01-06-1987	Tlustakova et al.	
	2.	US-4,725,355	02-16-1988	Yamamoto et al.	
	3.	US-5,789,601-A	08-04-1998	Park et al.	
	4.	US-6,951,713-B2	10-04-2005	Hei et al.	

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	5.	Communication/Office Action mailed on January 21, 2005, for European Patent Application No. 96921456.8 filed June 7, 1996, 4 pages.	
	6.	Office Action mailed on April 25, 2005, for co-pending U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/051,976, filed on January 16, 2002, 8 pages.	

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